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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

SIR:

Applicant hereby petitions to extend the term for response to file a reply to the Office Action of July 6, 2005 now set to expire on October 6, 2005 by a period of One Month to November 6, 2005 or such other term required to render the instant response timely.

	Small Entity	Over 500 Employees
One Month	[] \$ 60.00	[X] \$ 120.00
Two Months	[] 225.00	[] 450.00
Three Months	[] 510.00	[] 1,020.00
Four Months	[] 795.00	[] 1,590.00
Five Months	[] 1,080.00	[] 2,160.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0750.

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136 or other applicable rule to have the response period extended the number of months necessary to render the attached communication timely if a petition is required.

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